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SUBJECT: BRITISH CONVERSATION WITH CHINESE ON KOREA QUESTION

1. BRITISH AMBASSADOR PETERSEN RECOUNTED A REPORT OF CONVERSATION IN PEKING BETWEEN BRITISH AMBASSADOR ADDIS AND PRC VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. CHINESE TOOK INITIATIVE TO RAISE QUESTION OF KOREA IN THE UN. HE WAS MODERATE IN HIS APPROACH AND DID NOT EMPHASIZE SUPPORT FOR NORTH KOREA'S FIVE POINTS AS PRC HAS BEEN DOING PUBLICLY. INSTEAD, HE REPORTEDLY SHOWED SOME FLEXIBILITY ON THE QUESTION OF SIMULTANEOUS ENTRY OF TWO KOREAS. HE ALSO MENTIONED DESIRABILITY OF SEEKING SOME ARRANGEMENT FOR DISSOLUTION OF UNCURK BUT MADE NO STIPULATION WITH REGARD TO THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND.

2. PETERSEN SAID THAT ADDIS WAS SEEKING INSTRUCTIONS ON CONTINUING CONVERSATION WITH PRC BECAUSE THE VICE MINISTER HAD EXPRESSLY INDICATED DESIRE TO PURSUE
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